

"DO YOU LIKE MY GOWN, JANETTE!"
WHERE IS SHE!

CLEVER BLIND CHILDREN.

Act Upon the Stage Without Making a Single Mistake in the Whole Performance,

A company of blind children enacted the play, "Jack, the Giant killer," at St. Louis recently, reports an exchange of that city.

It was their first attempt in the histrionic line and was pronounced the success of the senson by the theatergoers. The children belong to the Missouri school for the blind, and the entertainment was arranged in celebration of the institution's fifty-first anniversary.

The teachers made all of the costumes and trained the performers for weeks beforehand. The latter entered into the spirit of the occasion with all of the zest which more favored children might have exhibited. The remarkable feature was the keenness of perception which they displayed. Guided by some instinct, they never made one false step, but passed and repassed each other on the stage and always found their respective places without a collision. Their movements were all ease and freedom and grace and their steps were as firm and full of confidence as though they had been blessed with the brightest and keenest.

Sightless lords and ladies bowed to a blind king and queen in courtly style. A blind fairy waved her wand over their majesties without once touching their crowns. The blind Giant Blunderbore marched in all his terrible might across the stage with the most threatening strides and blind Jack the Giant Killer strutted gloriously up and down with his trusty sword. It was all done with such astonishing accuracy, and never was there a mistake in word or action. The orchestra which furnished the music was composed of 15 blind boys, and the attendants of the king and queen numbered some 20

So that it was a company which really crowded the narrow stage and made the excellence of the performance all the more notable. A particularly pretty scene was the part in which Jack led the Princess and Fairy Good in a dance which was very much like the Virginia reel.

After the play S. M. Green, superintendent of the institution, was the recipient of many congratulations upon the histrionic achievements of his pu-

"They can do things and accomplish good in the world just the same as people that have eyes." he said, proud-"Our motto is this: 'It is the soul that sees.

"We took that motto several years go to impress on the public the fact that blind people are not a lot of hapless, unfortunate creatures, as some suppose. Aside from the misforune of being deprived of their sight. blind children are just like other children. a fresh victim." They are affectionate, they like to romp and play, they want to be out in | ond book?" the fresh air and sunshine, and they enjoy hearing the songs of the birds and smelling the perfume of the flow-

TEARS IN

THE VOICE

By ELLEN TERRY.

TRADE UPON AMBITION.

Unscrupulous Publishers Who Make Money from Persons with Literary Aspirations.

"Everybody is writing nowadays," sighed a magazine editor, disgustedly, as he ran through a pile of manuscripts heaped up on his desk, according to the New York Herald. "Here is a sonnet from a cabman, a story from a policeman and an essay from a soap-maker at Penobscot, Me.," It is true. All the world is pushing the pen or of the one opposite; also placing a banging the typewriter, and one never knows at what moment his best friend may not draw a deadly historical novel on him or demand that he peruse a

thorship there has arisen a band of unscrupulous knaves who, with the skill of a confidence man, endeavor to turn the popular desire for literary man.

"It is the greatest 'graft' that ever happened, my boy," said one of the most cold-blooded of these rogues, as he boasted of his achievements. "We have our hands on the most potent of literary authorship-and when we follow. We keep a sharp lookout as who is engaged upon a 'magnum opus,' or has had one turned down by a big publisher, we camp on his trail, and we never let up till we land him.

"Of course we adopt a stand-offish' policy as soon as he begins to nibble, tell him that we can never consider his book until it has run the gauntlet of our readers and critics, but that is only for the purpose of increasing his own belief in its great qualities. Lord bless you, if it is the veriest rot ever penned we will handle it. An adverse criticism upon a book is an unknown quantity in our shop.

pense of publication will be about \$300, which we expect him to stand. He demurs, whereupon we ask him how many copies he thinks he can dispose of himself. Incautiously and ignorantly he estimates the number at 1,000. In reality, if he has good luck and lots of to compare the yields of green grass friends he can sell about 50. We show him, however, that by his own statement he will be able to publish at his | ical composition. In five cuttings durown risk to much better advantage than if we offered him terms, and so he is at last firmly hooked.

"That \$300 is merely a first contribu-

turn over 1,000 printed and bound books to him and give our attention to "Do they ever come back with a sec-

"Never. That is the sole drawback to the business. One never has the chance to make steady connections, for our clientele is always changing."

driveling narrative of "rustic life."

In this era of well-nigh universal aufame to their advantage.

valve of the human mind-the conceit press the button the money is sure to soon as we learn of an aspiring author

"Then we inform him that the ex-

tion, though. He spedily finds that his manuscript must be thoroughly revised, corrected and punctuated, at a cost of \$100; illustrations must be secured, the proof must be read and a hundred other little things done, each of which has its separate fee. I may say that I never let an author get away from me for less than \$300. "Finally, when he is milked dry, we

A capacity for tears is a necessity for any woman who aspires to fame and fortune on the emotional stage. Not that she need be given them in private life, but she must

> the footlights. Nor are the tears that flow from the eyes the only ones that are necessary. She must have

them also in her voice. There thing about her speech that suggests emotion, a something that is

have them at her command before

more easily explained as "tears in the voice" than in any other way. Remain a child if you would succeed as an actress. The child has every quality necessary to achieve success. They have the uncul-

tivated "tears in the voice," and the successful actress is but a grown-

Point to any of the great emotional actresses of history and you will find that they were either gifted with or had cultivated this quality. They would not have succeeded without it. It is far more essential than oratorical ability. It will move an audience when all else



Shrewd Westerner Hended Subscription List and Donations Were Liberal.

SHADY RESTING PLACE.

Arrangement That Adds to the Comfort of the Farmer's Family

During the Dog Days. Where the trees about one's house

are small, or where there are none, this arrangement will be found pleas-

ant in summer. The floor and frame-

work of this shady resting place are made of wood, while the covering is

either white duck or striped awning cloth, sold at all dry goods stores— the only fault to be found with the

latter being its liability to fade. The

WELCOME RESTING PLACE.

board floor is very desirable, since it

permits the use of this when the grass

ground would be moist. The smooth

floor also affords a splendid chance for children to play in wet weather,

or indeed in any weather, since their

clothing will become soiled much less

easily when playing on such a floor

This place can also be made to shel-

ter a hammock, stretching this from

one corner to an opposite corner. The

roof frame should, of course, be

braced in the same direction as that

occupied by the hammock, running a two by three strip of lumber from

similar piece between the tops of the

other two opposite corners. The cloth

gables should be fitted to the frame

and tacked in position, after which the

roof, side and end flaps (all in one piece) can be stretched into position,

and held in place either by tacking or

by cords through eyelet holes and tied

about the frame .- Country Gentle-

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

The farmer as well as the business

man who is going to forge to the

front these times is the one who

Broom corn should have frequent

cultivation till the plants are two

feet high. Then the cultivation may

be stopped unless needed to retain

If one has been so unwise as to

have gotten in more area of crops

than he can cultivate properly it

may pay him even now to abandon

some of it and cultivate thoroughly

Irrigation produces such large re-turns for the outlay that many farmers could well afford to invest in

an irrigation plant of their own if

not in an arid or semi-arid region

where irrigation is carried on by

Brome Grass Beats Timothy.

grown at the North Dakota station

and to study their relative value for

hay, considering their yield and chem-

ing the season brome grass yielded

5,537.6 pounds of green grass, or

1,628.3 pounds of dry matter per acre,

and timothy 4,681.6 pounds of green

forage, or 1,422.8 pounds of dry mat-

ter. The results were decidedly in

favor of brome grass for permanent

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twice as much protein as timothy.

and no more fiber than the average

for timothy grown in different parts

of the country. Owing to its larger

root system, brome grass is consid-

ered a better humus producer and

Ration for Young Turkeys.

Feed the young turkeys stale wheat

and corn bread. A few hard-boiled

eggs mixed in the bread with a little

salt and pepper is good for the first

week. Don't forget to give them

plenty of grit in the way of sand mixed with their feed or broken

shells, dishes or lime rock. The main

thing to keep turkeys healthy and

growing fat is to keep them clear of

lice. Commence on the old hen be-

fore they are hatched. Dust the hen

twice a week with ashes and a few drops of coal oil added, grease the

hen and young turkeys as soon as

Feeding Soy Beans to Hogs,

Prof. C. F. Curtis, of the Iowa ex-

day of soaked corn is also recommend-

er proportion until the sow and

pigs are used to it if it has never been

fed. The feed should be mixed when

dry and made into a slop later. This

will insure better mixing and more sat-

isfactory results.

Soy beans are a new feed, and it will do no harm to use even a small-

oil to every teaspoonful.

soil improver than timothy.

Brome grass and timothy were

of great systems.—Farmers'

the remaining portion.

work.

thinks and plans.

than upon grass ground or gravel.

Some years ago when the west was wilder and more woolly than it is to-day a young man, since grown rich and now famous as a financier and capitalist, was a regular boarder at a hotel in a frontier town. He and a number of his friends were wont to resort every evening to the smoking-room of the hotel which they used as a sort of club and their wants were attended to by a fair waitress who may be called Miss White. She was a nice, quiet girl, without any nonsense about her and attended to the wants of her patrons with regularity and promptitude, relates the Chicago Chronicle.

One evening after she had retired for the night the landlord informed the company that this was the last night, she would wait upon them, as she was going to be married next day. When the landlord had gone out Jimmie Hughes, the young man referred to, got up and said he thought it only right that they should show their appreciation of her services by making her a little present on this auspicious occasion. He tooks sheet of paper, wrote his name down for \$200 and passed it round. The girl was popular and the idea caugh, on and when it came round again to generous Jimmie the total amounted to something over \$2,000. They summoned the landlord, handed over the amount to him and asked him to give it to Miss White next morning with their hearty good wishes for her happiness. Next day she was married and the happy bridegroom was—Jimmie Hughes.

ORTHOGRAPHICALLY OFF.

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A Hitch in Spelling That Was Smoothed Out by a Harvard Graduate.

They were making copies of inventory lists when a doubt arose as to the accuracy of the spelling of jardiniere in the original copy. "Miss Brown," called the typewriter, "please spell jardiniere." "Certainly," returned Miss Brown, blithely. "Jardaniere." "Oh, I don't think that second syllable is spelled 'dan.' Mr. Wyeth, will you spell jardiniere?"

jardiniere?"
"Jar-d-i-n-i-e-r-e," returned Mr. Wy-

"Jar-di-n-i-e-re," returned Mr. Wyeth.

The typewriter blushed, says the New York Sun. Mr. Wyeth was a partner, and it's hard to tell a partner he can't spell. "I don't think that's quite right," she faltered. "Let's look in the dictionary.

The dictionary was an old edition and dida't centain the word. Suddenly hope loomed large in the person of the senior partner's son. He was fresh from Harvard, and the entire office appealed to him through Mr. Wyeth's: "Say, Ransome, spell jardiniere."

"Search me!" replied Ransome. "Put the thing down as a flower pot." Which they did.

Belles of the Kitchen. Mistress Where are the hard-boiled eggs

I ordered?
Butler—If you please, ma'am, the cook and chambermaid are playing ping-pong with them.—Town Topics.

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THE MARKETS.

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Beeves-Dressed beef steadfl Veals \$6.50@7.50. Sheep-Sold at \$2.75@5.00, lambs

\$6.50@7.75. Hogs-Steady at \$7.00.

Cleveland, June 11 .- Flour-Winter wheat patents \$4.00@4.20. Wheat-No. 2 red 791/4c.

Corn-No. 2 yellow 481/2c. Oats-No. 2 white 481/2c. Hay-Timothy \$13.50. Butter-Best creamery 231/2c. Eggs-Strictly fresh 17c. Potatoes—New \$1.05@1.15. Cattle — Choice steers \$6.40@6.50

calves \$6.75@7.00. Sheep-Best \$4.60@4.75, lambs \$6.00 @6.25

Hogs-Yorkers \$7.05.

Toledo, June 11.-Wheat-Cash 80c. Corn-Cash 621/2c. Oats-Cash 431/cc Cloverseed-Cash \$5.071/2.

East Liberty, June 11.—Cattle-Choice \$7.15@7.50, fair \$4.75@5.00. Hogs-Prime heavy \$7.50@7.60, light

Sheep — Best wethers \$4.65@4.75, good \$4.30@4.50.

East Buffalo, June 11.—Cattle—Steady. Best veals \$7.00@7.25. Hogs-Heavy \$7.40@7.50, pigs \$6.80

Sheep-Good dry fed active, others





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